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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated July 23, 2002, setting a shortened  
statutory period for response expiring on October 23, 2002, Applicants respectfully  
submit the following remarks in connection with the above-identified application.